

## Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 JAKARTA 15664 230814Z

21

ACTION EA-09

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 ISO-00 CIAE-00 DODE-00 PM-04 H-02

INR-07 L-03 NSAE-00 NSC-05 PA-01 PRS-01 SP-02 SS-15

USIA-06 OMB-01 AID-05 IO-10 DHA-02 ORM-02 /088 W

----- 002945

R 230705Z DEC 75

FM AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1879

INFO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY PARIS

AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE

CINCPAC HONOLULU HI

CONFIDENTIAL JAKARTA 15664

CINCPAC ALSO FOR POLAD

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR LA TH EAID ID

SUBJ: LAO GOVERNMENT ASKS FOREIGN POWERS TO PERSUADE THAI TO  
REOPEN BORDER AND TO FURNISH HUMANITARIAN AID

REF: VIENTIANE 6631

1. FONDEPT ASIA PACIFIC DEPUTY AKOSAH DEC 23, WHO HAD NOT  
YET RECEIVED REPORT OF DEC 22 DEMARCHE (REFTEL), TOLD  
POLCOUNS THAT SEVERAL WEEKS AGO INDONESIA HAD RECEIVED  
INFORMAL REQUEST FROM LAO GOVERNMENT TO ATTEMPT PERSUADE  
THAI GOVERNMENT TO ADOPT FRIENDLIER ATTITUDE TOWARDS LAOS.  
AT ALMOST SAME TIME, SAID AKOSAH (WHO READ FROM INCOMING  
CABLES,) THAI GOVERNMENT MADE SIMILAR REQUEST THAT GOI  
ATTEMPT TO PERSUADE LAO GOVERNMENT TO ADOPT MORE  
ACCOMODATING STANCE IN RELATIONS WITH THAILAND.

2. FONDEPT TAKES POSITION THAT INDONESIA SHOULD NOT  
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 JAKARTA 15664 230814Z

BECOME INVOLVED IN ANY DISPUTE IN CONTINENTAL SEA, AND

THEREFORE OPPOSES OFFERING GOOD OFFICES TO EITHER LAO OR THAI. AKOSAH BELIEVES FONDEPT POSITION WILL BE UPHELD BY SENIOR GOI LEADERSHIP. AKOSAH DOUBTED INDONESIA WOULD TRY TO SEND HUMANITARIAN AID TO ALOS (PARA 6 REFTEL) BOTH BECAUSE OF ITS DESIRE TO REMAIN UNINVOLVED AND IN VIEW OF VIRTUAL LOGISTIC IMPOSSIBILITY SINCE LAO-THAI BORDER CLOSED. RIVES

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptoning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** HUMAN RIGHTS, ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE, FOREIGN RELATIONS, BORDER CONTROLS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 23 DEC 1975  
**Decapton Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Decapton Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** johnsorg  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1975JAKART15664  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** GS  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Film Number:** D750445-0180  
**From:** JAKARTA  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1975/newtext/t19751216/aaaaanmt.tel  
**Line Count:** 68  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Office:** ACTION EA  
**Original Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 2  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** 76 VIENTIANE 6631  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Authority:** johnsorg  
**Review Comment:** n/a  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 29 MAY 2003  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review History:** RELEASED <29 MAY 2003 by WorrelSW>; APPROVED <06 NOV 2003 by johnsorg>  
**Review Markings:**

Margaret P. Grafeld  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
06 JUL 2006

**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Referrals:** n/a  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** LAO GOVERNMENT ASKS FOREIGN POWERS TO PERSUADE THAI TO REOPEN BORDER AND TO FURNISH HUMANITARIAN AID  
**TAGS:** PFOR, EAID, LA, TH, ID  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 06 JUL 2006